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MISCELLANEOUS INDICATORS OF TASMANIAN PRODUCTIVE ACTIVITY, SEPTEMBER, 1965

	Da	iry Products	***			Flour (incl.	3 NO Wood	Metals		
PERIOD	Whole Nilk (a)	Factory Butter (b)	Factory Cheese	Bacon and Ham (Cured Weight) (o)	Aerated Waters	Wheatmeal for Baking and Sharps)	Pulp (d)	Refined Zinc	Cathode Copper	
Year: 1962-63 1963-64 1964-65 p	'000 gals. 78,518 83,124 87,381	tons 13,097 13,667 13,907	tons 643 1,337 2,344	tons 1,182 1,166 1,060	'000 gals. 2,129 2,186 2,297	tons (2,000 lb.) 29,147 27,412 28,009	tons 136,188 157,413 170,089	tons 136,205 138,610 138,776	tons 11,694 11,790 12,160	
6 months ended September, 1964 p 6 months ended September, 1965 p	30,783 29,492	4,627 4,138	678 865	466 465	965	13,943 13,552	81,493 89,772	68,770 72,618	5,707 6,592	
Month: 1964 August p September p	6,119 9,418	953 1,566	140 240	68	161 190	2,380	13,422	11,582 11,266	1,074 1,040	
1965 August p September p	6,860 10,658	r 1,026 1,662	246 363	77 84	179 185	2,443 2,232	16,385 15,525	12,026 13,124	1,151 1,098	
	in in the contract of the cont	Building	Materials			Hot Water Sys-	Electricity	Fertilizers		
PERIOD	Sawn Timber (e)	Clay Bricks	Portland Cement	Plaster Sheets	Sulphuric Acid	tems, Storage Displacement Type (Other than full Mains pressure) Electric	for all Purposes Except Traction	Super- phosphate	Sulphate of Ammonia	
Year: 1962-63 1963-64 1964-65 p	000 sup. ft. 159,864 170,857 175,950	'000 20,908 24,648 26,684	tons 125,288 125,546 124,806	sq. yds. 742,309 782,067 702,005	tons 139,980 158,832 181,965	no. 3,774 4,767 4,925	'000 k.w.h. 3,209,115 3,409,275 3,779,835	tons 125,413 132,113 130,350	tons 52,433 42,819 59,812	
6 months ended September, 1964 p 6 months ended September, 1965 p		12,677 14,176	66,173 59,818	401,454	89,793 101,024	2,925	1,929,712	63,413 66,018	28,873	
Month: 1964 August p September p	14,269 15,422	1,952 2,099	10,466	62,618 64,135	15,660	670 458	336,239 315,109	5,346 11,532	5,325 5,430	
1965 August p September p	16,377 16,430	2,185 2,277	10,254 9,723	53,006 51,592	14,365 17,814	370 423	345,866 325,333	11,949 15,037	5,652 4,843	

<sup>(</sup>b) Includes butter equivalent of butter oil. Includes whole milk equivalent of butter, butter oil and cheese produced.

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<sup>(</sup>d) Ground wood pulp, chemical and semi-chemical pulp; figures to be used as an index of production only. Includes non-factory production.

Includes peeled and sliced timber converted to a sawn timber equivalent.

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## SLAUGHTERINGS, MEAT PRODUCTION & LIVESTOCK PRICES - TASMANIA.

## 1. LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTERED

		Cattle					
PERIOD	Bulls, Bullocks, Steers	Cows & Heifers	Calves	Sheep	Lambs	Pigs	
Year: 1961-62	42,614	48,638	44,230	510,626	649,306	120, 45	
1962-63	49,510	62,317	46,149	465,996	628,757	115, 42	
1963-64	51,518	70,885	53,823	544,945	582,113	123, 50	
1964-65	52,946	70,510	50,610	424,810	562,135	134, 52	
6 months ended Sept.,		40,014	40, 182	198,325	250,673	59,38	
6 months ended Sept.,		28,861	38, 225	186,266	233,229	60,40	
Month: 1964 August	4, 136	5,951	14,069	28, 241	35, 709	8,05	
Sept.,	4, 565	4,836	11,292	33, 864	37, 112		
1965 August	p 3,432	3,599	16,128	33,461	38,479	9,00	
Sept.,	p 3,364	2,901	9,284	27,751	38,061		

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## 2. MEAT PRODUCTION (TONS - CARCASS WEIGHT)

PERIOD	Beef	Veal	Mutton	Lamb	Pigmeat (a)	Total	
Year: 1961-62	18,778	896	10,066	10,163	5,428	45,33	
1962-63	22,711	983	9,462	9,924	5,461	48,54	
1963-64	24,593	1,316	10,926	9,153	5,927	51,91	
1964-65	25,334	936	9,079	9,044	6,585	50,97	
6 months ended Sept., 1964	13,628	679	4,081	4,083	2,859	25,33	
6 months ended Sept., 1965 p	10,752	715	3,901	3,842	2,879	22,08	
Month:- 1964 August	2,023	215	589	580	377	3,78	
September	1,914	185	730		491	3,92	
1965 August p	1,464	296	697	636	. 432	3,52	
September p	1,326	163	582	621	547		

<sup>&#</sup>x27;(a) Includes that used for production of bacon and ham.

## 3. LIVESTOCK PRICES (a)

PERIOD		Calves		Other Cattle			Sheep			Lambs			Pigs	
	€	G.	d,	£	s.	d.	£	S.	d.	€	s.	d.	£	S.
Year: 1961-62 1962-63 1963-64 1964-65	1 1 1 2	18 11 14 17	4 6 11 2	29 29 32 39	12 8 10 0	7 3 4 3	1 1 2 2	11 15 4 19	9 7 5 5	2 3 3 3	11 1 7 18	9 0 8 0	11 13 14 15	4 18 18 6
6 months ended Sept., 1964 6 months ended Sept., 1965	1 2	17	11 2	36 43	9	3	3	4 9	9	4 4	2 15	10	15 15	14 2
Month:- 1964 August September	1 1	15 17	3 4	37 38	16 4	4 2	3	18	8 . 7	4 4	11 5	4	16 17	12 16
1965 August September	2 2	4.	0	47 50	13 5	0	4	3 9	4	5 5	1 0	6	16 16	18

<sup>(</sup>a) Estimated average prices, on the hoof, of main classes of livestock sold for slaughter.

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